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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Motorisa WATANABE

Title: POS REGISTERING SYSTEM
CAPABLE OF CHANGING A
SALES ITEM TO ANOTHER
SALES ITEM WITH SIMPLE
OPERATION

Appl. No.: 09/657,360

Filing Date: 09/07/2000

Examiner: Andrew J. Fischer

Art Unit: 3627

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment mailed on February 11, 2003, and the Office Action mailed September 3, 2002, please consider the following remarks and amend the above-captioned application as follows. Applicant submits that the present Amendment and Reply is timely since it is being filed within one-month or thirty days from the mailing of the Notice.

In the Claims:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121, please substitute for claims 1-4, the following rewritten versions of the same claims, as amended. The changes are shown explicitly in the attached "Marked Up Version Showing Changes Made."

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1. (Amended) A POS registering system, comprising:

a menu having a plurality of menu keys and at least one selection key, at least one sales item being assigned to each of the menu keys, each of the selection keys being used to select one of the sales items assigned to each of the menu keys;



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTALCommissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

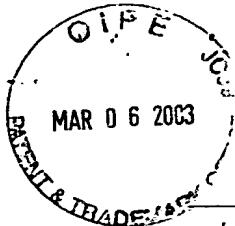
Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.

Small Entity statement is enclosed.

The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	16	-	20	= 0 x \$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independents:	12	-	12	= 0 x \$84.00 =	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:			+ \$280.00 =		\$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:					= \$0.00

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:



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[] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$410.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$930.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,450.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$1,970.00	\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00
	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$0.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$0.00

[] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

[] A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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